

PROCLAMATION  
BY THE  
Governor of the State of Texas

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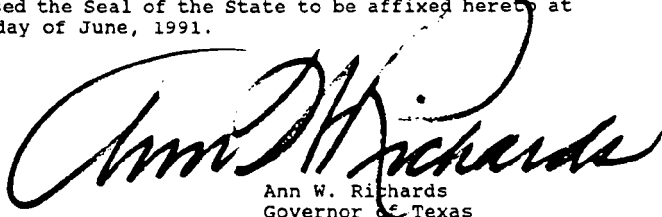
TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14 of the Texas Constitution, I, Ann W. Richards, Governor of Texas, do hereby veto H.B. 1144 because of the following objections:

This bill would allow retired agents of the Texas Alcoholic Beverage Commission to continue to serve as peace officers without pay. I am concerned that these retired agents would not be as attentive to the direction and control of their former superiors at the TABC as they were when they were employees. The power over the life, health, and safety of other that is given to commissioned peace officers must continue to be under the strictest supervision and control.

The Secretary of State will take notice of this action and will notify the members of the Legislature.

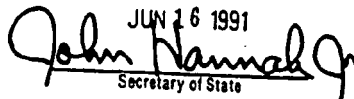
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 16th day of June, 1991.

  
Ann W. Richards  
Governor of Texas

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SECRETARY OF STATE

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Secretary of State

